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Subject:

Serial No. 09/534,550

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"A CAPACITOR WITH A ROUGHENED SILICIDE LAYER" (AS AMENDED)

GRP. Art Unit 2811

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RESPONSE PATENT OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 18, 2001, please amend the above identified application for patent as follows:

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees involved with added Claims and the like to Deposit Account No. 19-0033

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on Augusta, 2001.

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PLEASE AMEND THE TITLE AS FOLLOWS:

to --A CAPACITOR WITH A ROUGHENED SILICIDE LAYER--